IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Dominic WALSH et al.

Serial No. 10/539,348

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Examiner John A Hevey

METAL OR METAL OXIDE POROUS
MATERIAL AND CATALYST, PREPARED BY
USE OF DEXTRAN OR RELATED SOLUBLE
CARBOHYDRATE POLYMER AS AN AGENT
TO FORM POROUS THREE-DIMENSIONAL
ARCHITECHTURES FROM METAL SALTS
OR PREFORMED PARTICLES

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a two month extension of time to respond to the communication of May 7, 2008.

The fee of \$460.00 is

- (X) submitted herewith.
- () to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or to credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0975, with the EXCEPTION of deficiencies in fees for multiple dependent claims in new applications.

Respectfully submitted,

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